Boston. Novemr. 11. 1861.

t. Edward A. Wild.
Washington.

Dear Sir.

By the Adams Express Co., to-ay, the Military Committee of Brookline end to Company A, a box containing One hundred pairs woolen drawers, & one hun-ed woolen shirts, & one hundred pairs mittens.

You will be surprised, perhaps, at white under-clothes, instead of gray, have en sent. — We learn that experience of lum-er men in Maine has demonstrated that w olens, on every account, are ~~desirable~~ and articularly so in case of wounds — colored goods having poisonous tendency.

You will bear in mind, that if any Brookline man in the First Regiment, not in your Company, need under clothes, &c, they are to share equally with those under your immediate charge. —

In a few days we shall probably send you a good supply of stockings from the ladies of Brookline.

With kind regard to Lts. Chandler & Candler — I am truly yours,

Jas. A. Dupee Treasr.

Boston. November. 19. 1861.

Capt Edward A. Wild.

Washington.

Dear Sir:

On the 11th inst. the Military Committee sent by Adams Express Co. for Company A. 100 prs Woolen Drawers, 100 woolen Shirts, 100 prs Woolen Mittens.

The Committee has now the pleasure to send, by the same conveyance, a box containing Sixty pairs of Woolen Socks, three pairs wristlets, one pair mittens, two pairs of gloves — contributed by Mrs Jas Seamans, 2 prs; Unknown, by 1 pr; Mrs A. Guild, 1 pair; Miss Delia Twichell, 2 prs; Mrs & Miss Barrett, 5 prs; Chs T. Plimpton, 12 prs; Mrs Abel Adams, 3 prs, W. P. Perkins, 10 prs; Mrs J. A Bird, 8 prs; Mrs Bensley, 7 prs; Mrs Fairbanks, 1 pr; Mrs Hills, 3 prs; Mrs Robt Davis, 12 prs; Mrs Shedd, 3 prs Socks. — From Mrs Capt Wild, 3 pairs wristlets; Mrs A. Guild, 1 pair mittens, 2 pairs gloves; from Mrs John A. Bird, a bundle of woolens for cleaning arms.

Like the articles heretofore sent, these are to be distributed among all the Brookline men in the 1st Regt. ——

In course of a week we shall forward another instalment.

Hoping soon to hear from you, & congratulating you on the brilliant affair of saving the Schooner in the Chesapeake

I remain
Truly yours

[illegible] to be given to the 1st Co and [illegible] Co. [illegible]

Via Washington.

Boston Decemr. 25. 186

Capt Edward A. Wild. Co A. Mass 1st Regt

Dear Sir:

Your favor of Novemr. (the date of is not at this moment) acknowledging receipt of Underclothes &c is at hand. — We are very much obliged for your report of the affair of securing the Schooner from the rebels —

We have now the pleasure to advise of the forwarding of box by Adams Express Co. to Washington containing in part Mittens, Socks &c as described below. Mr Williams will make some additions & describe them in his letter.

It is impossible to give you the names of all the contributors. In the packages from Mrs John Osborne you will find 51 prs Socks, 19 pairs Mittens & 1 bundle towels — from Mrs B. — Mrs Gains Sampson, Mrs H. G. Freeman, Mrs J. F. Gross, Mrs Geo Sampson, Miss Mercy S. Soule, Miss Lizzie S. Sampson, Mrs Ichabod Sampson, Mrs Lewis Winsor, Mrs Adriana Pincon. (Many of these ladies are of Duxbury) — In another package are 3 pairs Stockings, 2 do mittens & 1 do for Clarence Thayer from Mrs Stearns. — Package from Mrs Thos Howe 20 pairs mittens & 7 prs socks — from Miss H. Miss Soule, Mrs Moody, Mrs Wm Stearns, Mrs Williams, Miss Phillips, Mrs Bennett, Misses Corey. There are especial packages for Horace Whitfield, F. C. Turner, two for Geo H. Stone, — one marked from A.B.B — — One bundle contains, from contributors unknown — 2 pr mittens 9 pr socks (& 2 more pair socks from Mr Bird & included above) — 1 pair mittens, & yarn, & needle — from Miss H. F. Wood — & 1 pair do for ~~the~~ "Horace" who used to drive the coach in Brookline, from an L. Pope. —

One pair blankets from Mr. Aug. Aspinwall

There are two large bundles of woolens for clearing
some from unknown contributors.

From the Harvard Church Sewing Circle — (their letter herein)
10 pairs drawers, 21 pairs mittens, 14 pairs socks, & two
small packages — described in their letter. —

You will please bear in mind that the Brook
line men within your reach, in a part of your company,
are to share in those contributions.

With kind regards for Lts Chandler
& Camden, from each of the military committee
I am very truly yours
J. A. Dupee
Treas